(SRI AZEEZ SAIT)

(*f*) It has not come to the notice of the Mysore State Road Transport Corporation that the people are put to inconvenience due to non-availability of buses on casual contract,

(*g*) In view of the reply to clause (*f*) this does not arise.

Officers of State Accounts Department

625. Smt. WINNIFRED F. FERNANDES (Coondapur).—

Will the Minister for Finance be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether Government has prescribed the duties and responsibilities of the Officers of the State Accounts Department working in other Departments as Accounts Officers, Financial Assistants and Accounts Superintendents ;

(*b*) if so, whether these are followed in the working of these officers, strictly, as prescribed by the Government ;

(*c*) if not, whether Government will be pleased to ensure that the rules prescribed for the purpose are strictly adhered to in the interest of the proper functioning of the administration ?

Sri M. Y. GHORPADE (Minister for Finance).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) Suitable instructions will be issued where necessary.

Village Accountants

673. Sri K. M. DORAISWAMY NAIDU (Bethamangala).—

Will the Minister for Revenue be pleased to state :—

(*a*) to whom the persons appointed as Village Accountants are responsible ;

(*b*) whether they will be brought under the jurisdiction of the of the Village Panchayats ?

Sri N. HUTCHAMASTHY GOWDA (Minister for Revenue).—

(*a*) The Deputy Commissioner.

(*b*) Yes. They are appointed as Secretaries of the Panchayats with less than Rs.12,000 annual income.